

LIQUOR COMMISSION
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
PACIFIC PARK PLAZA
711 KAPIOLANI BOULEVARD, SUITE 600
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

AGENDA – SEVENTH MEETING

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 2021
4:00 P.M.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND TESTIMONY

Pursuant to the Emergency Proclamation Related to the COVID-19 Response issued by Governor David Ige on August 5, 2021, relating to the COVID-19 pandemic (Proclamation), in order to allow public participation in a manner consistent with social distancing practices the following procedures are in effect for the meeting. *The procedures have been modified to comply with Mayor Blangiardi's Emergency Order No. 2021-09, effective July 8, 2021 (Emergency Order). In accordance with concern for public health and safety, in-person testimony in the hearings room has been cancelled until further notice. Please see the instructions below on how to submit oral testimony on any scheduled matter or how to make your appearance on a scheduled matter.*

VIEWING THE MEETING AND RESTRICTIONS ON ENTRY

No members of the public will be allowed into the hearings room, but may listen to the meeting on a live broadcast. The meeting may be heard by internet live streaming through <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86569245297>; by dialing 1-408-638-0968, entering the meeting ID#: 865 6924 5297#; or, the preferred method, via the Liquor Commission website event calendar at <http://www.honolulu.gov/liq/event-calendar/>. You may pre-register to attend this meeting.

To provide the public with the best opportunity to observe the meeting, it is required to “mute” your device’s microphone to prevent technological difficulties.

All persons who are required to appear for the meeting must make your appearance by joining the meeting on the Zoom platform as described above. Please be aware that joining the meeting will involve entering the meeting number and completing a registration process so please allow sufficient time for this task. For testifiers or required attendees who are not able to access the Zoom platform, you may attend in person in Suite 600. While in Suite 600, all Social Distancing Requirements set forth in the Proclamation and the Emergency Order must be strictly observed.

Within forty (40) days after the meeting, the minutes will be posted to the Liquor Commission website at <http://www.honolulu.gov/liq/event-calendar/> for viewing. The minutes of prior meetings may also be viewed at said website.

ORAL TESTIMONY

Oral testimony will be permitted on all matters before the Commission subject to the following restrictions:

1. *All oral testimony must be submitted remotely through the Zoom platform.*
2. Each speaker is limited to a three-minute presentation.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

Written testimony is strongly encouraged and may be submitted to the Administrator of the Commission three (3) working days prior to the date of the meeting as follows: FAX (808) 768-7311 or E-MAIL liquor@honolulu.gov. Written testimony will not be accepted in person at the meeting.

MATERIALS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION

Meeting materials ("board packet") will be available for viewing electronically, as soon as practicable, at the Liquor Commission website (<http://www.honolulu.gov/liq/event-calendar/>).

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The executive session minutes of the 45th (5/27/21) meeting, as previously circulated, to be approved by the Commission.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

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| 1. Appl. No. 21-22015 from BSP LLC, dba Brown Stuff, 98-064 #A Kamehameha Highway, Aiea | For a Retail General license (Prelim. Hrg. 6/24/21) |
| 2. Appl. No. 21-22932 from MC Concepts LLC, dba Feast, 2970 East Manoa Road | For a Retail General license (Prelim. Hrg. 6/24/21) |
| 3. Appl. No. 21-22685 from TLAXCALLI LLC, dba TLAXCALLI LLC, 1128 Smith Street | For a Restaurant General license (Category No.1 - Standard Bar) (Prelim. Hrg. 6/24/21) |

LICENSE APPLICATIONS:

Special License Applications:

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| 4. Appl. No. 21-23388 from Cools in Catering by Sinublan Inc., dba Sinublan Catering, 94-428 Mokuola Street, Waipahu | For a Special General license from 6:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 28, 2021 (Wedding Event) |
| 5. Appl. No. 21-23389 from Cools in Catering by Sinublan Inc., dba Sinublan Catering, 94-428 Mokuola Street, Waipahu | For a Special General license from 6:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. on Friday, August 20, 2021 (Graduation/Birthday Party) |

LICENSE APPLICATIONS: (CONT.)

Special License Applications: (Cont.)

6. Appls. No. 22-23636-1, 22-23636-2, 22-23636-3, 22-23636-4, 22-23636-5, 22-23636-6, 22-23636-7, 22-23636-8, 22-23636-9, and 22-23636-10 from PLC-KBH Management Company LLC, dba Kaimana Beach Hotel, 2863 Kalakaua Avenue

For Special General licenses from 7:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m., on the following dates: (total of 30 days)
 - 1) August 13, 14, and 15, 2021;
 - 2) August 16, 17, and 18, 2021;
 - 3) August 19, 20, and 21, 2021;
 - 4) August 22, 23, and 24, 2021;
 - 5) August 25, 26, and 27, 2021;
 - 6) August 28, 29, and 30, 2021;
 - 7) August 31, 2021, and September 1, and 2, 2021;
 - 8) September 3, 4, and 5, 2021;
 - 9) September 6, 7, and 8, 2021; and:
 - 10) September 9, 10, and 11, 2021
(Concurrent with Agenda Item No. 19)
7. Appl. No. 22-23640 from Groove Child Charities, dba Groove Child Charities, 1525 Bernice Street (Bishop Museum)

For a Special [Non-Profit] General license on Friday, August 27, 2021 and Saturday, August 28, 2021, from 3:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

(Hawaii's Finest Music Festival)
8. Appls. No. 22-23658 and 22-23680 from University of Hawaii Alumni Association, 1110 University Avenue

For Special [Non-Profit] General licenses from 1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on the following intermittent dates: (total of six days)
 - 1) September 4 and 18, 2021, and October 2, 2021; and;
 - 2) October 23, 2021, and November 6 and 20, 2021

LICENSE APPLICATIONS: (CONT.)

Temporary License Applications:

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| 9. | Appl. No. 22-23468 from Future Corporation, dba Izakaya Matsuri | For a Temporary Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar) at 1436 Young Street, Suite 103, the current site of Izakaya Matsuri (R0778) |
| 10. | Appl. No. 22-23577 from The Shamrock Restaurant Group LLC, dba The Black Shamrock Tavern | For a [Stand-Alone] Temporary Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 902 Nuuanu Avenue, the current site of O'Toole's Irish Pub (E0452) |

REQUESTS:

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| 11. | Request No. 22-23635 from Go Holoholo, Inc., dba Millwood Ohana Productions, Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing), 3280 Round Top Drive (E1591) | Requesting approval, for 60 days, to submit its Tax Clearance after the August 2, 2021 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b) |
| 12. | Request No. 22-23639 from Hawaii HIS Corporation, Lea Lea Airport Lounge, Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar), 300 Rodgers Boulevard, Building 350, Space 152D (R1061) | Requesting waiver of Rule 3-82-45.1 requirement to submit Personal History and Affidavit, Criminal History Record Clearance, and Fingerprint card for Masayuki Oda |

REQUESTS: (CONT.)

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| 13. Request No. 22-23642 from YHB Waikiki LLC, dba Polynesian Residences Hotel, Hotel General license, 2131 Kalakaua Avenue (L0067) | Requesting approval, until September 30, 2021, to submit its Tax Clearance after the August 2, 2021 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b) (License in safekeeping) |
| 14. Request No. 22-23643 from WSL Gateway, LLC, dba Embassy Suites by Hilton Oahu Kapolei, Hotel General license, 725 Manawai Street, Kapolei (L0064) | Requesting approval, until September 30, 2021, to submit its Tax Clearance after the August 2, 2021 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b) |
| 15. Request No. 22-23644 from DSM Food and Spirits, LLC, dba Study Hall Sports Bar & Grill, Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing), 1019 University Avenue, #1A (E1596) | Requesting approval to submit its Tax Clearance and Certificate of Insurance after the August 2, 2021 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b) |
| 16. Request No. 22-23645 from Green Chateau, Inc., dba Pure Hawaii Gentlemen's Club/Coyote Night, Cabaret General license (Category No. 4 – Nudity), 985 Dillingham Boulevard (I0062) | Requesting approval to file its Liquor License Renewal Application for fiscal year 2021-2022 after the June 30, 2021 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b) (License in safekeeping) |

REQUESTS: (CONT.)

17. Request No. 22-23647
from Kailua Racquet Club,
Limited, dba Kailua
Racquet Club, Club
General license (Category
No. 1 – Standard Bar),
629 Oneawa Street, Kailua
(F0007)
- Requesting approval to temporarily
reduce its licensed premises from
5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. (daily) on the
following intermittent dates: (total of
12 days)
- 1) Friday, August 27, 2021;
 - 2) Monday, August 30, 2021;
 - 3) Tuesday, August 31, 2021;
 - 4) Wednesday, September 1, 2021;
 - 5) Thursday, September 2, 2021;
 - 6) Friday, September 3, 2021;
 - 7) Monday, September 6, 2021;
 - 8) Tuesday, September 7, 2021;
 - 9) Wednesday, September 8, 2021;
 - 10) Thursday, September 9, 2021;
 - 11) Friday, September 10, 2021; and
 - 12) Saturday, September 11, 2021
18. Request No. 22-23656
from HSI Honolulu Joint
Venture Company, dba
Inter-Island Terminal,
Restaurant General
license (Category No. 2 –
Live Entertainment or
Recorded Music and
Dancing), 300 Rodgers
Boulevard (R0193)
- Requesting approval to submit a
long-term Caterer License
Application for 90 days
- (From August 19, 2021 to
November 17, 2021)
19. Request No. 22-23670
from Hotel Kaimana, Inc.,
dba the New Otani
Kaimana Beach Hotel,
Hotel General license,
2863 Kalakaua Avenue
(L0031)
- Requesting approval to temporarily
reduce its licensed premises
- (Concurrent with Agenda Item No. 6)

REQUESTS: (CONT.)

20. Request No. 22-23671
from CGY Martin, LLC,
dba Club Vegas Star,
Dispenser General license
(Categories No. 2 and 4 –
Nudity; and Hostess),
815 Keeaumoku Street
(E0198)

Requesting approval of a payment
plan for outstanding fines

21. Request No. 22-23694
from 939 Entertainment
LLC, dba Club 939,
Dispenser General license
(Categories No. 2 & 4 –
Nudity; and Hostess),
939 Keeaumoku Street
(E0270)

Motion for the following:

- 1) Reconsideration of Decision and
Order for LCV 20-0096 relating to
the one-month suspension of
License No. E0270; and
- 2) Stay of enforcement of Decision
and Order for LCV 20-0096
relating to the one-month
suspension of License No. E0270
pending the Liquor Commission
of the City and County of Honolulu's
consideration of licensee's
Motion for Reconsideration

(Adjudication hearing held on
June 24, 2021 (Suspension period
set from August 7, 2021 through
September 5, 2021))

(Decision & Order adopted on
July 15, 2021; served on July 23,
2021)

OTHER BUSINESS:

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| 22. Request No. 22-23660 from Ms. Amber Onishi, member of Top II LLC | Requesting waiver of Rule 3-82-32.1 requiring a temporary license application be filed within five (5) working days of the cancellation of the previous license or the closing of the business (Premises at 3579 Waialae Avenue; the former site of Top of The Hill (E1606)) |
| 23. Request No. 22-23664 from James T. H. Lee, Esq., on behalf of Paliuli Restaurant Inc., dba Eagle Cafe | Requesting waiver of Rule 3-82-32.1 requiring a temporary license application be filed within five (5) working days of the cancellation of the previous license or the closing of the business (Premises at 1130 Nimitz Highway, Suite A-100; the former site of New Eagle Cafe (R1057)) |

ADOPTION OF DECISION AND ORDER:

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| 24. Aqua Lounge (LCV 19-0240) (E0374) | For adoption of Decision and Order |
| 25. Aqua Lounge (LCV 21-0165) (E0374) | do. |
| 26. Club Waterfall (LCV 19-0345) (E0599) | do. |
| 27. Club Waterfall (LCV 19-0352) (E0599) | do. |

ADOPTION OF DECISION AND ORDER: (CONT.)

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| 28. | Club Waterfall (LCV 20-0054) (E0599) | For adoption of Decision and Order |
| 29. | Club Waterfall (LCV 21-0061) (E0599) | do. |
| 30. | Ewa Beach Golf Club (LCV 19-0424) (E1436) | do. |
| 31. | Halona Lounge (LCV 19-0370) (E0384) | do. |
| 32. | Halona Lounge (LCV 21-0124) (E0384) | do. |
| 33. | Platinum Lounge (LCV 21-0162) (E0192) | do. |

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS:

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| 34. | 7-Eleven Stores No. 54107 (LCV 20-0065) (D0376) | Licensee sold, served or furnished intoxicating liquor to a minor, or allowed consumption of intoxicating liquor by a minor, at the licensed premises (Violation of Section 281- 78(b)(1)(A), HRS) (Date of violation: On or about January 25, 2020) |
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(Continued from October 8, 2020)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

35. 7-Eleven Stores
(LCV 20-0097)
(D1256)
- Licensee sold, served or furnished intoxicating liquor to a minor, or allowed consumption of intoxicating liquor by a minor, at the licensed premises (Violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS) (Date of violation: On or about January 25, 2020)
- (Continued from October 8, 2020)
36. 7-Eleven Stores
No. 54207
(LCV 19-0395)
(D0613)
- Licensee made physical alterations within its licensed premises without the prior written approval of the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-83-62(a)) (Date of violation: On or about September 20, 2019)
37. Billion Pocha 1201
(LCV 20-0093)
(E1607)
- Licensee employed a person in that section of the licensed premises where liquor is sold, served or consumed without said employee being properly registered with the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.5(a)) (Date of violation: On or about March 11, 2020)
38. Billion Pocha 1201
(LCV 21-0011)
(E1607)
- (1) Licensee failed to have the street and/or primary entrances to the licensed premises unlocked during the time customers were on the premises (Violation of Rule 3-84-72.2) (Date of violation: On or about December 12, 2020)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

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| Billion Pocha 1201 (LCV 21-0011) (E1607) (Cont.) | (2) | Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 12, 2020) |
| 39. Clubhouse Lounge LLC (LCV 21-0013) (E0954) | | Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 22, 2020) |
| 40. Little Seoul II, LLC (LCV 19-0439) (R1026) | | Licensee failed to make time record entries at the time its employees reported on duty and again when the employees went off duty (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b)) (Date of violation: On or about December 21, 2019) |

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

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| 41. Little Seoul II, LLC (LCV 21-0012) (R1026) | Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 22, 2020) |
| 42. New Green Tee (LCV 19-0366) (E1258) | Licensee's employee consumed liquor while on duty on the licensed premises (Violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b)) (Date of violation: On or about October 11, 2019) |
| 43. New Green Tee (LCV 20-0030) (E1258) | Licensee's employee consumed liquor while on duty on the licensed premises (Violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b)) (Date of violation: On or about January 16, 2020) |
| 44. New Green Tee (LCV 21-0010) (E1258) | Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 23, 2020) |

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

45. Remixx Bar & Grill
 (LCV 21-0021)
 (E1533)
- (1) Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 21, 2020)
- (2) Licensee failed to have a time card or other adequate record showing in English the month, day, year, and time, indicating a.m. or p.m. and the legal first name and surname of each of its employees when these employees were on duty (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(a)) (Date of violation: On or about December 21, 2020)
46. The Ginza
 Nightclub/Mystique
 Lounge
 (LCV 20-0061)
 (I0043)
- Licensee failed to accurately report its revenues from gross liquor sales or to properly complete the gross liquor sales report (Violation of Rule 3-81-17.56) (Date of violation: On or during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019)

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ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

47. The Ginza Nightclub/Mystique Lounge (LCV 20-0300) (I0043)
- (1) Licensee failed to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violating the terms of the Office of the Mayor of the City and County of Honolulu Emergency Order No. 2020-30 (COVID-19 [Novel Coronavirus]) (Violation of Section 281-38, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 4, 2020)
- (2) Licensee employed a person in that section of the licensed premises where liquor is sold, served, or consumed without said employee being properly registered with the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.5(a)) (Date of violation: On or about December 4, 2020)
- (Continued from March 25, 2021)
48. The Ginza Nightclub/Mystique Lounge (LCV 21-0008) (I0043)
- (1) One or more Commission investigators were hindered, obstructed, or prevented from entering into Licensee's premises or were opposed, obstructed, or molested in the performance of their duties, whether by the Licensee, Licensee's employee, or any other person (Violation of Section 281-79, HRS) (Date of violation: On or about December 19, 2020)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

The Ginza
Nightclub/Mystique Lounge
(LCV 21-0008)
(10043)
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- (2) Licensee failed to make time record entries at the time its employees reported on duty and again when the employees went off duty (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.4(b)) (Date of violation: On or about December 19, 2020)

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OTHER BUSINESS: (CONT.)

49. Liquor Administrator

Administrative matters – Weekly report to the Commission, 90-day event schedule and work plan coordination

If you require special assistance, auxiliary aid and/or service to participate in this meeting (i.e., sign language interpreter; interpreter for language other than English, or wheelchair accessibility), please email your detailed request to liquor@honolulu.gov, at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting.